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1. ON THE BASIS OF GEOGRAPHICAL, ADMINISTRATIVE, AND POPULATION CONDITIONS, THE EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT THE KRAKOW CONSULATE HAVE JURISDICTION OVER THE PROVINCES OF RZESZOW, KRAKOW, KATOWICE, AND OPOLE, AND THE CITY OF KRAKOW.

2. ARTICLE 2, PARAGRAPH 2 OF THE US-POLISH CONSULAR CONVENTION STATES THE " THE SENDING AND RECEIVING STATES SHALL DETERMINE BY AGREEMENT THE SEAT OF THE CONSULAR ESTABLISHMENT AS WELL AS THE LIMITS OF ITS CONSULAR DISTRICT."

3. TO COMPLY WITH THE CONSULAR CONVENTION, THE EMBASSY PROPOSES TO SEND A NOTE TO THE MFA, TEXT AS FOLLOWS:

" THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PRESENTS ITS COMPLIMENTS TO THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE POLISH PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC AND HAS THE HONOR TO INFORM THE MINISTRY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PROPOSES TO TRANSFER THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR CONSULAR FUNCTIONS IN THE PROVINCES

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OF RZESZOW, KRAKOW, KATOWICE, AND OPOLE, AND THE CITY

OF KRAKOW, FROM THE JURISDICTION OF THE EMBASSY AT WARSAW TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE CONSULATE TO BE ESTABLISHED AT KRAKOW. THE EMBASSY PROPOSES THAT THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE IN KRAKOW AND THE CONSULATE OF THE POLISH PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC IN NEW YORK BE OFFICIALLY DECLARED OPEN, ON A DATE TO BE DETERMINED, SHORTLY AFTER THE KRAKOW PREMISES ARE COMPLETED AND PREPARED FOR OCCUPANCY. IT WILL BE APPRECIATED IF THE EMBASSY MAY BE INFORMED WHETHER THE MINISTRY PERCEIVES ANY OBJECTION TO THESE PROPOSALS.

4. THE EMBASSY ALSO REQUESTS THE MINISTRY TO ACCREDIT MR. VICTOR S. GRAY AS UNITED STATES CONSUL OF AND FOR THE DISTRICT OF KRAKOW AND GRANT HIM PROVISIONAL RECOGNITION PENDING THE ISSUANCE OF AN EXEQUATUR. MR. GRAY WILL BE RESIDENT IN KRAKOW AS FROM LATE NOVEMBER, 1973 AND WILL INFORMALLY PERFORM OCCASIONAL CONSULAR FUNCTIONS. AFTER ITS FORMAL OPENING, THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE IN KRAKOW WILL PERFORM A FULLER RANGE OF CONSULAR SERVICES. (COMPLIMENTARY CLOSE)."

5. THE EMBASSY PROPOSES TO TRANSMIT THIS NOTE TO THE MFA AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, AND REQUESTS THE DEPARTMENT'S COMMENTS. DEPARTMENT ALSO REQUESTED TO PREPARE AND FORWARD LETTERS OF COMMISSION OR "SIMILAR INSTRUMENT" FOR GRAY AS SPECIFIED IN PART II OF CONSULAR CONVENTION. DAVIES

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